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*Your answers in this part will be used for statistical purposes only. Your help is appreciated.*

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How many nights do you spend in hotels/resorts per year?

What is your age?

What is your gender? ☐ ☒

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Employer

What is the highest level of education that you have completed?

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What is your household income? (optional)  ☒

What credit card do you use most often when dining out?  ☒

What percentage of your dining out is for business  
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The votes are in on the best places to dine in '99. See them here first, click on a city for Top 10 lists and reviews. And be sure to check back often for new cities.

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21 E. 16th St. (bet. 5th Ave. & Union Sq. W.), 212-243-4020

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2. Krispy Kreme *doughnuts*
3. Amy's Bread *baked goods*
4. Gray's Papaya *hot dogs*
5. Little Italy *pizza*
6. Ess-a-Bagel *deli*
7. Papaya King *hot dogs*
8. Daily Soup *soup*
9. Hale & Hearty *soup*
10. Grey Dog's *American*

**Emack & Bolio's** ☐

389 Amsterdam Ave. (bet. 78th &amp; 79th Sts.), 212-362-2747

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Macy's, 151 W. 34th St., 4th fl. (Herald Sq.), 212-494-5853

☐ For "terrific", "top-quality" ice cream and yogurt, "run don't walk" to this Boston import with "inventive flavors"; don't forget the "'serious chocolate addiction' lives up to its name" -- "more locations, please."

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280 W. 125th St. (bet. F. Douglass & Malcolm X Blvds.),  
212-531-0111 ☐

141 W. 72nd St. (bet. Amsterdam & Columbus Aves.), 212-  
724-1100 ☐

2 Penn Plaza (33rd St. on Amtrak rotunda level), 212-947-  
7175

265 W. 23rd St. (bet. 7th &amp; 8th Aves.), 212-620-0111

38 E. Eighth St. (bet. Greene St. & University Pl.), 212-529-  
5111 ☐

108-22 Queens Blvd. (Continental Ave.), Queens, 718-263-

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☐ "Believe the hype" -- when this North Carolina doughnut chain with white and green Formica ambiance opens near you, "original glazed" will become your "two favorite words"; myriad addicted fans "betcha can't eat just one" and ask "is there a KK Anonymous?"

[top of page](#)**Amy's Bread** ☐ ☐ ☐

672 Ninth Ave. (bet. 46th &amp; 47th Sts.), 212-977-2670

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Chelsea Mkt., 75 Ninth Ave. (bet. 15th & 16th Sts.), 212-462-4338

☐ You can't miss the "wafting aromas" of "delicious", "novel" loaves, twists, sandwiches and brownies; but beware, "the cupboard may be bare by mid-afternoon" and "you must be quick to get a table."

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2090 Broadway (72nd St.), 212-799-0243

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402 Sixth Ave. (8th St.), 212-260-3532

☐ "Quick", "crunchy, juicy hot dogs and fruity drinks" are downed standing up at this 24-hour "NY institution"; the 50-cent frank may be "the best deal in the city", but to play it safe "bring Roloids."

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65 Vanderbilt Ave. (bet. 45th &amp; 46th Sts.), 212-687-3660

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72 W. 45th St. (6th Ave.), 212-730-7575

182A Varick St. (bet. Charlton &amp; King Sts.), 212-366-5566

11 Park Pl. (bet. B'way &amp; Church Sts.), 212-227-7077

☐ "Don't let the lines scare you" at these popular pizzerias because "they move" and lead to "thick slices" that "stack up to any in NY"; as for toppings, they're traditional Italian, not nouvelle-style novelty.

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831 Third Ave. (bet. 50th &amp; 51st Sts.), 212-980-1010

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359 First Ave. (21st St.), 212-260-2252

☐ Offering "excellent", "mutant" oversized bagels, these "rapid-fire" East Side delis give you "anything you want" to schmear on top; "hole-in-the-wall" decor and "brusque service"

come with the "oy" territory.

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### Papaya King ☐

179 E. 86th St. (3rd Ave.), 212-369-0648

☐ They may not be, as the sign in the window declares, "better than filet mignon", but the franks at this cheap, grungy old Upper East Side joint are "the crown jewels of hot doggery", especially when washed down by a papaya or mango drink; all the mustard, relish and sauerkraut in the world, however, can't cover the less-than-pristine surroundings.

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### Daily Soup ☐

134 E. 43rd St. (bet. Lexington & 3rd Aves.), 212-949-7687

21 E. 41st St. (bet. 5th & Madison Aves.), 212-953-7687

241 W. 54th St. (bet. B'way & 8th Ave.), 212-765-7687

686 Eighth Ave. (bet. 43rd & 44th Sts.), 212-869-7687 ☐

325 Park Ave. S. (bet. 24th & 25th Sts.), 212-531-7687

17 E. 17th St. (bet. B'way & 5th Ave.), 212-929-7687

2 Rector St. (Trinity Pl.), 212-945-7687

55 Broad St. (Beaver St.), 212-269-2336

41 John St. (bet. Dutch & Nassau Sts.), 212-791-7687

☐ Lunch-goers endure "long lines" for "satisfying" soups served by "friendly staff" at these take-out joints; "ask for the bottom of the pot or you may end up with NY's most expensive broth."

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### Hale & Hearty Soups ☐

849 Lexington Ave. (bet. 64th & 65th Sts.), 212-517-7600

22 E. 47th St. (bet. 5th & Madison Aves.), 212-557-1900

55 W. 56th St. (bet. 5th & 6th Aves.), 212-245-9200

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462 Seventh Ave. (bet. 35th & 36th Sts.), 212-244-7687

Chelsea Mkt., 75 Ninth Ave. (bet. 15th & 16th Sts.), 212-255-2400 ☐

World Trade Ctr., 5 World Trade Ctr. (Vesey St.), 212-938-



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32 Court St. (Remsen St.), Brooklyn, 718-596-5600

☐ A "reliable" chain serving "fresh and creative soups" that make for a "tasty", "warm" "lunch on the go" and are "better than penicillin" for curing winter colds; but critics insist it's just "another overpriced soup stand" with unacceptably "long lines."

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**Grey Dog's Coffee** ☐ ☐

33 Carmine St. (bet. Bedford & Bleecker Sts.), 212-462-0041

☐ West Village "San Francisco--type coffeehouse" with "excellent" brew and soups, "awesome cheap sandwiches" and "relaxing", "good vibes"; in short, it's "the perfect neighborhood hangout."

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**Les Célébrités**

*Essex House, 155 W. 58th St. (bet. 6th & 7th Aves.), 212-484-5113*

☐ "They go all out and succeed" at this "consummately elegant" French Classic, which once again garners sky-high ratings across the board; it may be a "super splurge", but

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surveyors tout it for a "special celebration" or pure "indulgence", reporting that the "sumptuous cuisine", "sumptuous" "Fabergé egg" room, "gracious service" and the "sheer theatrics" "never disappoint"; N.B. longtime chef Christian Delouvrier has recently moved to Lespinasse but his replacement, Luc Dimnet, has a good reputation.

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### Four Seasons

99 E. 52nd St. (bet. Lexington & Park Aves.), 212-754-9494

☐ "Still one of the best", this "quintessential NY institution" offers "unbelievably good", "creative" Continental food in "breathtaking", "dignified" and "ageless" Philip Johnson-designed rooms; touted for "power lunch" in the Grill Room and "special occasions" in the Pool Room, it makes you "feel like a player just by walking in"; "what's not to like?" -- the easily outvoted minority considers it "cold", "stuffy", "clubby" and "absurdly overpriced."

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60 W. 55th St. (bet. 5th &amp; 6th Aves.), 212-688-6525

☐ "Elegant to the max", this "formal" Midtown "perennial favorite" "lives up to its legendary reputation"; chef Jean-Jacques Rachou's "timeless" Classic French fare, "stunning decor" (featuring murals of the Basque coast) and "exquisite service" add up to a "magical" meal; at \$34, "lunch is a superb value" (dinner is \$62 prix fixe only).

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### Nobu

105 Hudson St. (Franklin St.), 212-219-0500

☐ "Words can't describe how good" Nobu Matsuhisa's "unique" TriBeCa Nouvelle Japanese is, but surveyors try: "astonishing", "sublime", "masterful", "mind-blowing", "banzai"; with "handsomely simple" David Rockwell decor, bicoastal "celeb sightings" aplenty and a "staff that knows its stuff", it's "in a league of its own" and "must be experienced", preferably on an "expense account" (though prix fixe lunch is "a steal"); there's "one problem -- can't get in."

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### Peter Luger Steak House (Brooklyn)

178 Broadway (Driggs Ave.), 718-387-7400

☐ "Cow heaven", this Williamsburg "institution" does "one thing perfectly" -- porterhouse steak that's "in a class by itself", the "benchmark" for beef "in the USA, and possibly the world"; despite "crusty" waiters and German beer hall--style dining rooms devoid of more than "gruff" charm, the verdict is clear as over 3,400 surveyors vote Luger "NY's No. 1 steakhouse" -- for the 15th year in a row.

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21 E. 16th St. (bet. 5th Ave. &amp; Union Sq. W.), 212-243-4020

☐ Voted NY's Most Popular Restaurant for the third year in a row and offering "proof that consistent excellence is possible", Danny Meyer's "casual", "unpretentious" Union Square "icon continues to dazzle", thanks to Michael Romano's "always excellent" American-Eclectic cooking, a "warm", "caring" staff that's the "paradigm of service" and modest prices given the quality; "you can't help liking them even when you're denied a reservation."

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Started as a hobby, the Survey became so popular and gained such an intense following that it soon developed into a full-time publishing enterprise. Today, the pocket-sized Zagat Surveys, recognizable by their burgundy covers, have become best-sellers, with over 100,000 participants rating and reviewing restaurants in more than 40 major U.S. and foreign cities.

In 1988, the Zagats extended their Surveys to U.S. hotels, resorts and spas and, in 1990, they first reviewed the airline and car rental industries. By 1992, the Survey had become available in a variety of on-line formats, including Prodigy and CompuServe as well as in a specially created software product called Taxi with Zagat. America Online and Pathfinder had both added Zagat Survey to their services by 1996. Meanwhile, Apple, Sony, Microsoft and Newscorp have all included Zagat ratings and review for their CD product. All this, in addition to a trio of national guides published currently -- *America's Top Restaurants*, *America's Best Meals* and the *U.S. Hotel, Resort and Spa Survey*.

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Tim and Nina S. Zagat are both native New Yorkers. Nina graduated from Vassar College (Class of 1963) while Tim graduated from Harvard College (Class of 1961). Both graduated from Yale Law School (Class of 1966) and practiced law in New York City for many years before devoting their energies full-time to the Survey.

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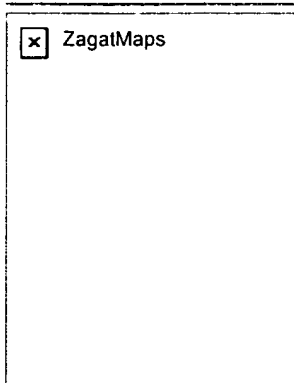
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